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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney: R. Williams

Serial No.: 09/698,870

Filed: 09/698,870

Group Art Unit: July 26, 2002

Examiner: J. Souaya

For: *USE OF POLYMORPHISM OF THE SEROTONIN TRANSPORTER GENE
PROMOTER AS A PREDICTOR OF DISEASE RISK*

July 23, 2003

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to respond to the Final Official Action dated January 23, 2003.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☐ is filed herewith.

☒ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

☒ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

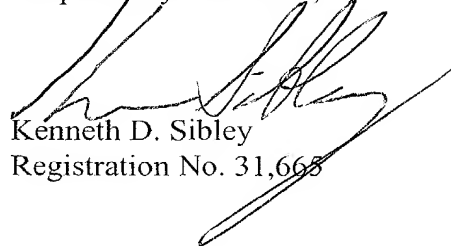
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<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$410.00	\$205.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,970.00	\$985.00

Fee Enclosed \$465.00

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- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,


Kenneth D. Sibley
Registration No. 31,665

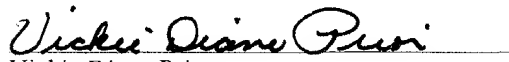
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